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THE HOISTING OF THE FLAG

at Kowloon City by
H.E. LADY BEAUMONT.

THE ONLY PHOTOGRAPH

of this historical event can be had from
MESSRS. KELLY & WALSH, price 50 cents.

Hongkong, 24th April, 1899. [1142]

TO LET.

PORTION OF HOUSE on higher level, well
EQUIPPED. 3 Rooms and Servants
\$10 per month, or less, rooms may be
arranged for also food required. Terms
Write.

"X.Y.Z."
Care of Office of this Paper.
Hongkong, 24th April, 1899. [1127]

A. S. WATSON & CO., LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the FOURTEEN ANNUAL ORDINARY
GENERAL MEETING of the Company
(since its registration) will be held in the Board Room
in the HONGKONG TERRACE on
MONDAY, the 8th MAY, at twelve o'clock NOON for the purpose of receiving the
report of the General Managers together with
a Statement of Account to the 31st December
1898.

The Register of Shares will be CLOSED
from Monday, the 1st May, until Wednesday,
the 10th May inclusive, both days inclusive,
during which period no Transfer of Shares can
be registered.

By Order
A. H. MANOEUL,
Hongkong, 23rd April, 1899. [1143]

NOTICE.

THE POWER OF ATTORNEY given to the
Undersigned on the 20th July, 1898, by
MESSRS. DINSHAW & CO., has been handed
over to Mr. D. J. DAJIBHAI OLLIA, and the
INTEREST and RESPONSIBILITY of the
Under-signed as Manager of the Firm of
Talimao and Tokow CHASES from this date
DINSHAW DAJIBHAI OLLIA,
Talimao, 23rd March, 1899. [1144]

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned will carry on business
from this date as GENERAL MANAGERS
and COMMISSION AGENTS in South Formosa
under the name and style of DINSHAW D.
OLLIA & CO.

DINSHAW DAJIBHAI OLLIA,
Talimao, 23rd March, 1899. [1145]

V. S. R.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instructions
to sell by

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THURSDAY, the 27th April, 1899,
at 11 A.M.
at ARMY ORDNANCE STORES, Queen's
Road, East,

the following

GOVERNMENT STORES—
SCALING LADDERS, MALLETS,
CORDAGE, WHITE AND TARRED, TARRED,
BOAT CUSHIONS, PROJECTILES,
BOXES, ELECTRIC CABLE, FONTOON
WAGONS, BRASS, COPPER, GUN
METAL, JUTE, LEAD, ROPE, LINEN,
COTTON, and WOOLLEN RAGS, STEEL,
ZINC, GARDEN ASHES, IRON, WROUGHT
IRON, WOOD, FADING, GASES, FIRE
FIRE ENGINES, and a variety of PART
WORN GREAT COATS and CAPS.

Catalogues can be had at the Ordnance Office
or from the Auctioneer.

TERMS OF SALE—Carriage delivery. All
feats and errors of description in purchases
on the part of the bidder. Allowances to be
claimed within 48 hours.

HUGHES & HOUGH,
Auctioneers

Hongkong, 24th April, 1899. [1146]

PUBLIC AUCTION.

VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD FURNI-
TURE, OIL PAINTINGS, ENGRAV-
INGS, IVORIES, CURIOS, &c.

THE Undersigned has received instructions
to sell by

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SATURDAY, the 29th April, 1899,
at 2.30 p.m.
at No. 49, Wyndham Street,

THE WHOLE OF THE VAULTS
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,
Comprising—

SADDLE BAG and PLUSH SUITE
SKILL TAPESTRY ARMCHAIRS and
COUCHES MARBLE-MADE OVER-
MANTLE, CARVED WALNUT WRIT-
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SOME BRONZE CLOCK and BRONZES,
DRESDEN TABLE LAMPS, INDIAN
CARPETS, RUGS, WHITE LACE CUR-
TAINS, &c., &c.

FINELY CARVED MAHOGANY
MADE SIDEBOARD, EXTENSION DIN-
ING TABLE, MOROCCO-COVERED
DRIVING CHAIRS, THREE NEAR
WAGGONS, CANTON, LACQUERED,
TEAK, CHIRONNIERS, ELECTRO-
PLATE, CUTLERY, GLASS and CROC-
KERY, &c., &c.

AMERICAN-MADE WALNUT BED-
STEAD, WALNUT and TEAK BUREAU
WITH BEVELLED MIRRORS, MARIN-
BIRK-MADE WARDROBES WITH GLASS
DOORS and MARBLE TOP, CAMPION
WOOD WASHSTAND, &c., &c.

Very Fine ENGRAVINGS, OIL PAINT-
INGS, IVORIES, CURIOS, CLOIS-
ONNE, VASES, CHERRY-LACQUERED,
BLACKWOOD and EMBROIDERED
SCREENS, &c., &c.

A COTTAGE PING, by COLLARD and
COLLARD (almost New).

On View from THURSDAY, the 27th April,

1899. Catalogues will be issued.

TERMS—As Customary.

GEO. P. LAMMERT,

Engineer.

Hongkong, 24th April, 1899. [1166]

FOR SHANGHAI & KIAOTSCHOU.

THE Steamer

KOENIGSBURG.

Captain E. Christensen, will be despatched for

the above ports TO-DAY, the 24th inst., at

1 p.m.

This steamer has superior accommodation for

First and Second Class Passengers and carries

A Doctor and a Stewardess.

For Freight or Passage apply to

SIEMSEN & CO., Agents.

Hongkong, 22nd April, 1899. [1159]

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY
LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY, AND
TAIWAN.

THE Company's Steamship

"TAMSIU"

Captain Douglas, will be despatched for the

above ports TO-MORROW, the 25th inst., at

1 p.m.

For Freight or Passage apply to

DOUGLAS LAMPART & CO.,

General Managers.

Hongkong, 23rd April, 1899. [1160]

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY
LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY, AND
TAIWAN.

THE Company's Chartered Steamship

"NANTANG"

Captain Lehman, will be despatched for the

above ports TO-MORROW, the 25th inst., at

1 p.m.

For Freight or Passage apply to

DOUGLAS LAMPART & CO.,

General Managers.

Hongkong, 24th April, 1899. [1161]

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY
LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY, AND
TAIWAN.

THE Company's Steamship

"TAIWAN."

Captain Lehman, will be despatched for the

above ports TO-MORROW, the 25th inst., at

1 p.m.

For Freight or Passage apply to

DOUGLAS LAMPART & CO.,

General Managers.

Hongkong, 24th April, 1899. [1162]

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY
LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY, AND
TAIWAN.

THE Company's Steamship

"TAIWAN."

Captain Lehman, will be despatched for the

above ports TO-MORROW, the 25th inst., at

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DOUGLAS LAMPART & CO.,

General Managers.

Hongkong, 24th April, 1899. [1163]

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY
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FOR SWATOW, AMOY, AND
TAIWAN.

THE Company's Steamship

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General Managers.

Hongkong, 24th April, 1899. [1164]

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY
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THE Company's Steamship

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Hongkong, 24th April, 1899. [1165]

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TAIWAN.

THE Company's Steamship

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General Managers.

Hongkong, 24th April, 1899. [1166]

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY
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TAIWAN.

THE Company's Steamship

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above ports TO-MORROW, the 25th inst., at

1 p.m.

Yash, Lambayer, H. Mors, D. Kaneko, E. Tendo, Hebe, Iwamoto, Ichikawa, and Rev. Able Guyon. From Kobe to Singapore, Messrs. Sighen and Hardt, for Marseilles, Messrs. Tamakawa, Nagamori, and Inanishi.

SHIPPING REPORT.

The German steamer *Promo*, from Tamsui 10th April, and Amoy 20th, had light variable winds and fine weather throughout. Vessels in *Shantung*—*Amoy*—*Mussoorie*. The British steamer *Thales*, from Foochow 20th April, Amoy 21st, and Swatow 22nd, had light S.W. wind and foggy weather to Amoy. From Amoy to Swatow [NE. wind and clear weather. From Swatow to port moderate easterly wind and misty. Vessel is now *Hauskin*. In Amoy—*Amoy*—*Macassar*—*Sabah*—*Penang*, and *Sabah*—*Reykjavik*, in *Swatow*—*Wangkiang*, and *Dezunong*. The British steamer *Formosa*, from Tamsui 19th April, Amoy 20th, and Swatow 21st, had fresh N.W. breeze moderate seas and overcast sky to Amoy. From Amoy to Swatow moderate S.W. breeze, sea cloudy and bay weather. From Swatow to port light N.E. breeze, smooth seas, and moderate. Vessel is now *Hauskin*. In Amoy—*Amoy*—*Macassar*—*Sabah*—*Penang*, and *Sabah*—*Reykjavik*, in *Swatow*—*Wangkiang*, and *Dezunong*.

INSURANCES.

NORTH GERMAN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF HAMBURG.

The Undersigned AGENTS of the above Company are PREPARED TO ACCEPT First Class Foreign and Chinese Risks at Current Rates.

SHEMSEN & CO., Agents.

Hongkong, 20th May, 1891. [24]

TRANSATLANTIC FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF HAMBURG.

The Undersigned, having been appointed AGENTS for the above Company, are prepared to ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE at Current Rates.

Douglas L. PRAIRIE & CO., Agents for the Phoenix Fire Office.

Hongkong, 17th August, 1887. [25]

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The Undersigned AGENTS for above Company are prepared to ACCEPT Foreign and Chinese RISKS against FIRE at Current Rates.

EAST ASIATIC TRADING CO.

Hongkong, 1st January, 1891. [112]

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The combined ACCIDENT and LIFE POLICY in the most ADVANTAGEOUS form of INSURANCE.

A sum premium of £28 2s. (age 30) covers the following—

£2,000 in case of death by accident.

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£50 per week in case of temporary disablement by accident.

Accidents insured against £6 and £2 per annum (£4,000 in case of death by weekly payments in case of injury).

For further Particulars apply to

J. Y. V. VERNON, Agent.

Hongkong, 8th June, 1891. [1320]

NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.

TOTAL FUNDS AT 31st DECEMBER, 1890, £12,555,989 0s. 0d.

L AUTHORISED CAPITAL £300,000 2s. 0d.

RESERVE CAPITAL £3,750,000

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The Undersigned have been appointed AGENTS for the above Company, are prepared to ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE at Current Rates.

SHERMAN, TOME & CO., Agents.

Hongkong, 2nd June, 1891. [1301]

AACHEN AND MUNICH FIRE INSURANCE CO. OF AIX-LA-CHAPELLE.

The Undersigned, having been appointed AGENTS for the above Company, are prepared to ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE at Current Rates.

REUTER, BROCKELMANN & CO., Agents.

Hongkong, 21st April, 1891. [178]

SUN INSURANCE OFFICE, LONDON

FOUNDED 1710.

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SHEMSEN & CO., Agents.

Hongkong, 16th May, 1891. [23]

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A TASTEFULS Chemists, Nutrient Most Powder. SOMATOSE contains all the albuminous principles of beef in an easily soluble form. It has been extensively employed, and found to be of the greatest service in consumption, diseases of the stomach and intestinal tract, chlorosis and rickets; it is of great value in convalescence from all diseases.

SOMATOSE is a nutritious combination of nitro-nitro food. It gives strength to the muscles and stimulates the appetite in a remarkable manner. Sol. Manufacturers: Farbenfabrik, Worms, Friend BAYER & Co., Elberfeld.

To be had in all dispensaries and druggist shops, and with

WM. MEYERINK & CO., Sole Agents for Hongkong & China.

Hongkong, 20th March, 1891. [198]

SECOND-HAND PIANOS, PROPERTY OF FAMILIES LEAVING THE COLONY.

Offered at Cheap rates.

1 Cottage piano—Linen..... \$125
2 Cottage piano—Broadwood..... 150
3 Cottage piano—Rosenanz..... 150
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7 Cottage piano—Appleton..... 250
8 Cottage piano—Brook..... 275
10 Cottage piano—Lane, Crawford & Co. 300
11 Cottage piano—Broadwood..... 300
12 Senz grand—Collard (any reasonable offer, original cost £1,000 per year only in £100)

LAW CRAWFORD & CO., Musical Department.

Hongkong, 7th April, 1891. [195]

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Cotton Co.,

Onoob Cement Company, Japan.
Kanegafuchi Cotton Spinning Mill, Tokyo Cotton Spinning Mill, Japan.
Hayashi Clock Factory.

Hongkong 4th August, 1891. [237]

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do. &c.

On View at SARDIKA, 11 A.M., when Catalogue can be had on application.

TERMS:

As usual.—HUGHES & ROUGH,

Government Auctioneers.

Hongkong, 15th April, 1891. [1056]

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

No. 216.

THE following Particulars of Sale of CROWN LAND by PUBLIC AUCTION, to be held at the spot, THIS DAY (MONDAY), the 24th day of APRIL, 1891, at 3 P.M., are published for general information.

By Command, J. H. STEWART LOCKHART, Colonial Secretary.

Hongkong, 8th April, 1891. [1093]

Particulars of the Letting by Public Auction, to be held THIS DAY (MONDAY), the 24th day of April, 1891, at 3 P.M., by Order of His Excellency the Governor, of One Lot of Crown Land, in the Colony of Hongkong, for a term of 21 years.

HEAD OFFICE: HONGKONG.

BRANCHES: HANKOW, KOWLOON, SWATOW, TIENTHIN.

AGENCIES: YOKOHAMA, KOBE, NANKING, CALCUTTA.

General Manager—P. C. BISHOP.

INTEREST ALLOWED.

On Current Accounts 2%

Fixed Deposits 3 months

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12 "

24 "

36 "

48 "

60 "

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96 "

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120 "

132 "

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300 "

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336 "

348 "

360 "

372 "

384 "

396 "

408 "

420 "

432 "

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